Rao Sahib M. Narayana Menon (*Commissioner of Police*): Yes. He was assaulted. But it was a non-cognizable offence.

Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar (*Nellayi*): Is it a case pending before the Court?

Rao Sahib M. Narayana Menon (*Commissioner of Police*): I am not aware.

TRAFFIC SIGNAL DISCS—INTRODUCTION OF.

86. Mr. M. K. Devassy (*Adur*): Will the Government be pleased to supply the traffic controlling constables with signal cards with the words "നില്ക്ക" and "പോകാം" painted on them?

Rao Sahib M. Narayana Menon (*Commissioner of Police*): The traffic in the State is not so heavy as to necessitate the use of these signal discs.

Mr. M. K. Devassy (*Adur*): Has the Government any objection to provide some shade for the constables who are standing for so long in the sun?

Rao Sahib M. Narayana Menon (*Commissioner of Police*): I have been thinking of that. It will be slowly provided when funds permit.

Mr. V. J. Mathai (*Planters*): Is the hon'ble member aware that a sort of umbrella is being used by the traffic constables in cities like Madras?

Rao Sahib M. Narayana Menon (*Commissioner of Police*): I know there are certain towns, where there are heavy traffic using such devices.

Mr. V. J. Mathai (*Planters*): Will the Government be pleased to provide for these poor constables some shade during the summer at least?

Rao Sahib M. Narayana Menon (*Commissioner of Police*): The Government will see whether it is possible to do it.

LEPROSY—RELIEF.

87. Mr. C. V. Iyyu (*Kunnamkulam*): Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) whether the attention of the Government is drawn to the very large percentage of leprosy existing in Pudusseri desom, Chemmanthatta village;

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